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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/CN2005/001915	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 14 November 2005	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) TO BE ASSIGNED
		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 17 November 2004
TITLE OF INVENTION BAMBOO HANDLE		
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.		
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).		
5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). </div>		
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8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).		
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Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.		
13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.		
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16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.		
17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.		
18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		
19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		

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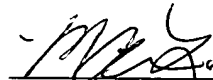
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Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits the following documents for filing the subject U.S. national stage application:

1. Transmittal Letter to the United States DO/EO (PTO-1390);
2. English Translation of the PCT Application (4 pages, and 1 sheet of drawings);
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. PCT Publication WO 2006/053486 A1
5. PCT International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210);
6. PCT International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409) with English translation of the relevant part;
7. Application Data Sheet (ADS);
8. Information Disclosure Statement with PTO/SB/08A and 6 references;
9. PCT Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document (PCT/IB/304);
10. Preliminary Amendment;
11. Fee Transmittal;

12. Return Postcard.

The subject application is a U.S. national stage of PCT/CN2005/001915 which claims priority from Chinese Application No. 200420109006.4 filed on November 17, 2004 under 35 U.S.C. §119.

A total of \$450.00 is required. Please charge the same and any other required fee to Deposit Account No. 22-0261 and notify the applicant's attorney.

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		Application Number	To be assigned
		Filing Date	Filed Herewith
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit	To be assigned
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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	Fee (\$)	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
		Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100		
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65		
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0		

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims
3 - 20 = _____ x _____ = _____ Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)
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Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

	Fees Paid (\$)
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1631 Basic National Stage fee	150.00
1632 National Stage Search Fee - all other situations	200.00
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